

Howland Wood - Curatorial

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April 29th, 1921

Robert Robertson, Esq.
140 33rd Street
Brooklyn, N.Y.

My dear Mr. Robertson:

Your letter of April 28th to Mr. Noe concerning the books just at hand. There seems to be a fatality about your getting these books which I cannot understand and which ought not to have happened.

Mr. Noe left for Europe last Saturday, and he ordered the books to be sent to you before he left and properly supposed that they had been forwarded. I, not being familiar with this, did not see whether they had gone or not. I am now sending our man to the Post Office with the package marked Special Delivery so that you should receive them without further delay.

I beg to apologize for the shortcomings on our part and wish to assure you that a similar occurrence will not happen again.

Very truly yours,

Curator

HW/E

140-33rd St.
Brooklyn, N. Y.

Mr. Howland Wood,

Am. Numismatic Society
New York City.

Dear Sir,

I am returning today per parcel-
post the books you so kindly lent
me. The postage paid, 22 cents,
is refunded herewith.

Thank you!

Very truly yours

Robert Robertson

May 20, 1921.

May 21st, 1921

Robert Robertson, Esq.
140 33rd Street
Brooklyn, N.Y.

Dear Sir:

I beg to acknowledge the return of
the books to our library for which I thank
you; I also desire to thank you for your letter
enclosing 22 cents for postage, received this
morning.

Very truly yours,

Curator

HW/E

May 16th, 1922

Robert Robertson, Esq.
140 33rd Street
Brooklyn, N.Y.

Dear Mr. Robertson:

Can you prepare a paper to be read before the Convention of the American Numismatic Association which will be held here at the latter part of August? You can take any subject you please, and I should say it should take from fifteen to thirty minutes in the reading.

Very truly yours,

Curator

HW/E

140 - 33rd Street
Brooklyn, N.Y.

Mr. Howland Wood
Curator
Am. Numismatic Society
New York City.

Dear Sir,

It will be with the greatest of pleasure to me to prepare and read at the convention, providing I do not get stage-fright, a paper on the coppercoins of Sweden.

This subject was suggested by Mr M. Workiser when he heard that I intended showing the large coppercoins of Gust. Ad. Christina and Chas. XI at the coming convention, the space I need for said exhibit will be about three square feet.

Sincerely yours
Robert Robertson

May 17. 1922.

May 18th, 1922

Robert Robertson, Esq.
140 33rd Street
Brooklyn, N.Y.

Dear Mr. Robertson:

I am very glad that you will read a paper at the forthcoming Convention. As I shall be away during the summer, someone else will take charge of the arrangement of these papers. He or I will let you know just beforehand regarding the matter. I would appreciate it if you would let me know some time in August the title of your paper.

Very truly yours,

Curator

HW/E

140 - 33rd Street
Brooklyn. N. Y.

Dear Mr. Woods.

I enclose herewith the coin from the Lea Ahlborn series to be re-photographed, as per request of Mr. Wormser.

Should the date not correspond with the one wanted, you may perhaps have one of the other type in the Society's collection, that is: of year 1856, 1857 or 1859. if not, I will send another as soon as I hear from you.

Sincerely yours
Robert Robertson

Jan. 21, 1923.

February 15th, 1923

Mr. Robert Robertson
140 33rd Street
Brooklyn, N.Y.

Dear Mr. Robertson:

Please excuse the delay in returning your Swedish coin but I have only recently had it photographed, and was hoping to bring it down to the Club last Friday night; however, I was unable to get there so am enclosing it, herewith.

Very truly yours,

Curator

HW/E
Enc.

February 16th, 1923

Robert Robertson, Esq.
140 53rd Street
Brooklyn, N.Y.

Dear Mr. Robertson:

The enclosed letter may interest you, and
I think that you could reply to it more intelli-
gently than I.

Very truly yours,

Curator

HW/E
Enc.

APR 7 - 1925

ROBERT ROBERTSON
140 - 33RD STREET
BROOKLYN, N. Y.

Dear Mr. Wood.

I enclose my check for \$9.15 in payment for invoice of Feb. 11, it was my intention to go up and see you, but I find my time does not allow it.

Have you anything else you could let me have?

If so, get up a "prize - or surprise package" for me, and which package you could give me on any of the three Elder Sales-days.

Very truly yours
Robert Robertson

October 27th, 1925

Robert Robertson, Esq.
140 33 rd Street
Brooklyn, N.Y.

Dear Mr. Robertson:

Did Mr. Ros leave with you his forwarding address?

I have here two letters for him from China and I would
like to send them to him.

Our car got the truck of Decorations on Monday.

Many thanks for looking after these for Mr. Ros.

Very truly yours,

Curator

October 28, 1925

ROBERT ROBERTSON
140 - 33RD STREET
BROOKLYN, N. Y.

Dear Mr. Wood.

Mr. Ros did not give me his Italian address, as he did not know how long he would remain in Naples, the best thing to do, is to send the letters to his Peking address about Nov. 15th, as he will be there the first week in December.

Very truly yours
Robert Robertson

June 4th, 1926

Mr. Robert Robertson
140 33rd Street
Brooklyn, N.Y.

Dear Mr. Robertson:

I think that possibly you may be interested
in the enclosed offer, so am sending same on to
you.

Very truly yours,

Curator

September 21st, 1926

Mr. Robert Robertson
140 33rd Street
Brooklyn, N.Y.

Dear Mr. Robertson:

A Mr. Charles Anderson will probably write to you and ask you to value for him a collection of Swedish coins. He was here to see me, but I was unable to price them definitely. If you should undertake this work for him, you could certainly make a charge. He wants to sell them to a friend of mine, so should you place a valuation on the collection, I wish you would let me know what it is in order that I may so inform my friend.

Very truly yours,

Curator

June 15, 1927

Mr. Robert Robertson,
140 - 33rd St.,
Brooklyn, N. Y.

Dear Robertson:

Can you tell me of a good place to go to, to get a punch made with some sort of a zig zag outline to get out several thousand small card board disks. The disk would be not over an inch across and we want to use them for putting in our coin boxes or spaces, when we take a coin out for one purpose or another. I suppose the person that made the die, could also cut out the disks.

I have not heard from you for some time and trust you are keeping up your interest in coins. Why not let us see you sometime.

Very truly yours,

Curator

HW:MB

140 - 33rd St,
Brooklyn, N.Y.

Mr. Howland Wood,
Bway and 156th St
New York City.

Dear Mr. Wood,

Re your request for a
die I have something better to
suggest.

Dennison Mfg. Co. make
a tag of white bristol board
bound with an edge of nicked
metal, these tags are round and
can be had in several sizes, any-
thing written on them can easily
be erased to give room for some
other record, making them almost
everlasting.

This firm mentioned have a
large assortment of tags and

good place to look over their
line is at R. H. Macy & Co.

I have not lost my interest
in coins, and my only excuse
for being absent from the
meetings is: my work is very
strenuous and am too tired
to go out when my working-
day is done.

Very truly yours
Robert Robertson

June 17, 1927

Mr. Robert Robertson,
140- 33rd St.,
Brooklyn, N. Y.

Dear Sir:

I had given a thought to those Denunson tags, but the main purpose for the disks that we wanted was to have something that could not be bought off hand. In other words, we want to put them in the drawers to show that the space was vacant on purpose. With these Denunson disks, anybody after seeing our arrangement could buy some of these, take coins out and put one of these disks in its place, that is if anybody cared to do this.

I wrote you as I thought you were familiar with some place that makes these punches, as you had a lot made at one time.

Very truly yours,

Curator

HW:FE

Tuesday.

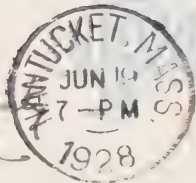
Dear Mr. Wood.

Today we have had plenty
of rain of the Cats and
also variety, mostly cats.

I cannot see where I made
a good choice to come here,
but the judgment may be
premature. I will stay as
well anyway, and spend
the balance of my vacation
here. I. J. Tell this to your
that a majority of spiders do
not inhabit here for the want
of woods. I welcome to all!

Yours etc. K. Robertson

25 Pearl St.



Mr. Howland Wood
Am. Numismatic Society
E'way and 156th St.
New York City

STEAMER GAYHEAD, NANTUCKET, MASS.



Friday, June 22.

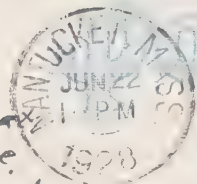
Dear Mr. Wood.

This is an awful place at present, rain every day since last Sunday, and plenty of wind thrown in for good measure. It is cold and triste, worse than a Nov. day in dear old N.Y. I am pulling up the stakes and fold my tent on Sunday for my next destination, Douglaston, L.I. There I will at least find liquid cheer if nothing else.

Best regards to all, including the addressee of course!

Sincerely yours

Robert Robertson



Mr. Howland Wood
Am. Numismatic Society
B'way and 156th St.
New York City

STONE ALLEY, SHOWING TOWN CLOCK AND SOUTH TOWER,



NANTUCKET, MASS.

July 13, 1935.

Dear Robertson:

I got from Barnet four of the Hudson half dollars. This is all I could get. We are keeping two, I turned one over to Rush and I suppose you want the fourth one which I am holding here. These are going to be rare and I understand are being held at prices ranging from \$1.60 to \$2.00. Barnet could not get as many as he wanted. As a matter of fact half of those at the Club had money orders returned being informed that the issue was much oversubscribed.

Sincerely,

HW:JG

Dear Wood

Thanks for your letter, please send me one of the Hudson halos for which I enclose check plus postage registration.

Any bill from Bolender for me? If so, please send it to me! Any letter with check from Mozian? If so, open it, and deposit check for me, thank you!

Am having a fine time with Mr. Marx, go to see him every day, and home to sleep at nights, on Wednesday we go to Jones' Beach and will have a barbecue dinner in one of the L.I. state parks, the whole bunch of us, six in all.

Nothing else on my mind just now.

Best regards to all

Sincerely yours

Robert Robertson

July 16

July 17, 1935.

Dear Robertson:

Herewith is the Hudson half dollar.
No bill from Bolender as yet nor any check from
Mozian.

I am enclosing a stamp of Greto
Garbo which you might send to your Swedish museum.

I cannot understand that with your
hatred of Jews you can go to a barbecue with them!!!!?
This does not strike me in any way consistent!!!!!!!!!!

Sincerely,

HW:JG